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TO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN
INFO AMEMBASSY RANGOON
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CHIEF ARMISH MAAG IRAN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MILI

SUBJECT: ARMY MIMEX OFFER TO BURMA

REF: USDAO RANGOON 170820Z JAN 78 (NOTAL)

1. IN REFERENCED CABLE, DAO RANGOON REQUESTED THE
ARMISH OF MAAG IRAN FOR ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING INFORMA-
TION ABOUT THE CONDITION OF 105 57MM RECOILLESS RIFLES
PRESENTLY IN IRAN AND BEING CONSIDERED BY THE BURMESE FOR
PURCHASE UNDER MIMEX PROCEDURES. WE ASSUME THAT THE CHIEF
OF THE ARMISH CAN MAKE THE REFERENCE AVAILABLE TO YOU.

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2. THE CONCERN OF THE BURMESE IS TO DETERMINE THE OPERAT-
ING CONDITION OF THE WEAPONS, THEIR COMPLETENESS (E.G., DO
THEY HAVE SIGHTS) AND THE MOST EXPEDITIOUS MEANS OF SHIPPING
THEM TO RANGOON. BECAUSE OF BURMESE FINANCIAL PROCEDURES
AND BECAUSE OF CERTAIN ASSURANCES WHICH HAVE BEEN GIVEN
THE GUB AMBASSADOR IN WASHINGTON, THE DEPARTMENT IS ALSO
CONCERNED THAT THIS INFORMATION BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THEM

AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. ACCORDINGLY, ANY ASSISTANCE AND
SUPPORT WHICH EMBASSY TEHRAN CAN PROVIDE TO THE MAAG IN
OBTAINING AND FORWARDING THE REQUESTED DATA WOULD BE GREATLY
APPRECIATED. CHRISTOPHER

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